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#20 Request
for refund
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TRANSMITTAL OF SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT
AND REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please file the enclosed Small Entity Statement in the above-identified patent application.
Applicant's Attorney respectfully requests a reimbursement of \$570.00, one-half of the total fees paid on September 6, 2002, to be deposited in Deposit Account No. 08-0380. This request is made within the three-month period allowed for such reimbursement.

A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.27(a))-NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

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Title: Use of Locally Applied DNA Fragments

I hereby state that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:

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Boston, Massachusetts 02215

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